



Region 2 Hunter Check Station Results

First Week of the Season | Oct. 20-28, 2018

Station	Year	No. of Hunters	Elk	Mule deer	White-tailed deer	Black bear	Moose	Sheep	Goat	Wolf	Total animals	% Hunters w/ game	Snow depth ^a (in.)
Darby (includes HD 321)	2018	1,495	70	13	8	2	0	0	0	0	93	6.2	0
	2017	1,651	93	8	13	2	0	0	0	0	116	7.0	9
	2016	1,636	75	5	22	1	0	0	0	1	104	6.4	0
	2015	1,649	92	15	30	0	0	0	0	0	137	8.3	0
	2014 ^b	1,867	88	12	42	0	1	2	0	1	146	7.8	8
Anaconda	2018	Not operating; Upper Clark Fork CWD surveillance check stations in operation instead (near Hall & Porter's Corner)											
	2017	487	18	3	17	2	0	1	0	0	41	8.4	4
	2016	560	14	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	23	4.1	1
	2015	671	23	7	11	2	2	1	0	0	46	6.9	0
	2014	757	24	7	4	2	0	1	0	0	38	5.0	0
Bonner	2018	1,707	36	14	75	2	0	0	0	0	127	7.4	0
	2017	1,974	46	10	132	3	0	0	0	1	192	9.7	2
	2016	2,218	31	31	125	2	0	0	0	1	190	8.6	0
	2015	2,196	24	18	114	3	0	0	0	0	159	7.2	1
	2014	2,066	17	19	91	0	1	1	0	0	129	6.2	0
All Stations through 1st week	2018	3,202	106	27	83	4	0	0	0	0	220	6.9	
	2017	4,112	157	21	162	7	0	1	0	1	349	8.5	
	2016	4,414	120	40	152	3	0	0	0	2	317	7.2	
	2015	4,516	139	40	155	5	2	1	0	0	342	7.6	
	2014	4,690	129	38	137	2	2	4	0	1	313	6.7	

***2018 Harvest totals do not include data from an Anaconda station;** CWD surveillance stations are in operation in the Upper Clark Fork instead.

^a**Snowtel sites** at Saddle Mountain (Bitterroot), Peterson Meadows (Upper Clark Fork) & Copper Camp (Blackfoot).

~**Wolf harvest** only reflects those wolves checked at the R2 check stations; it is not total reported harvest.

^b**Darby Check Station** was operated only on weekends beginning in 2014, compared with 7 days per week previously.

WEATHER: Weather was mild in week 1. High temps were in the 50s in the valleys, with periods of rain without any measureable snowfall.